City of Lafayette Staff Report

For: City Council

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Date Written: March 16, 2009

Meeting Date: March 23, 2009

Subject: Code Enforcement Activity

Introduction / Discussion:

The attached table delineates code enforcement cases opened and closed in the previous month (2/09), as well as running totals of cases, both opened and closed, year to date. Updated activity reports will continue to be posted to the "Consent Item" section of Council agendas, unless otherwise requested by the City Council or Administration.

CODE ENFORCEMENT ACTIVITY

TYPE OF VIOLATION	NUMBER OF COMPLAINTS RECORDED-PREVIOUS MONTH (2/09)	NUMBER OF COMPLAINTS CLOSED-PREVIOUS MONTH (2/09)	NUMBER OF COMPLAINTS RECORDED-YEAR TO DATE	NUMBER OF COMPLAINTS CLOSED-YEAR TO DATE	TOTAL ACTIVE FILES
MULTIPLE LMC PROPERTY VIOLATIONS	3		3		18
JUNK, TRASH, DEBRIS	1		2	1	3
TRASH CONTAINERS (Left out for more than 48 hours)	2		7	1	6
NON-OPERATIONAL / UNREGISTERED VEHICLES (Private and public property)					1
TREE PROTECTION					2
LIVING IN RV			1	1	

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DRC/PC VIOLATION					1
PORTABLE CARPORT					2
BUILDING AND ZONING (permits, setbacks, grading)	1		1		5
ENCROACHMENT IN PUBLIC RIGHT OF WAY			1	1	
OPERATING BUSINESS IN RESIDENTIAL ZONE					2
LAND USE VIOLATION					3
NOISE ORDINANCE	1	1	2	1	1
HOURS OF CONSTRUCTION VIOLATIONS					
CONST. MATERIALS / DEBRIS / EQUIPMENT (Visible during construction or when left on site after jobs have been completed or stalled)					
RV / OTHER VEHICLE (Unscreened or in setback)					7
ILLEGAL DUMPING					
LIVESTOCK	1		1		1
CONDITIONS OF APPROVAL VIOLATIONS	2	2	2	2	3
SIGN ORDINANCE (Commercial)	2		3		2
SIGN ORDINANCE (Political)	1	1	1	1	
SIGN ORDINANCE (Real Estate)					
TOTALS	14	4	24	8	57

RECOMMENDATION

Receive and file.